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Applicant(s): Jill Gilles-Komar et. al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2003 for Three(3) month(s) from July 30, 2003 to October 30, 2003. An Amendment responding to the Restriction of Requirement aforesaid Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/CEN248-NP/GKT in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. Three copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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